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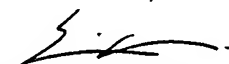
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Dear Sir:

In response to the election requirement in the Office Action of October 4, 2006, Applicant hereby elects Species II, drawn to a method of manufacturing a semiconductor device. Claims 10-28 and 36-75 read on elected Species II, and thus are subject to examination at this time.

Examination on the merits is requested.

Respectfully submitted,



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